CITY OF CHICOPEE - CONSERVATION COMMISSION

274 Front Street, Chicopee, MA 01013 (413) 594-1515

PUBLIC HEARING AGENDA January 6, 2021

Pursuant to Mass. General Law Ch. 131, Section 40 and the Chicopee Wetland Ordinance Ch. 272, the Chicopee Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, January 6, 2021 at 6:15 PM to discuss the following via video conference (Zoom).

Chairman please read meeting Opening Statement on page 2 of this agenda.

Item 1: (Continued from December 16, 2020) RDA for the application of herbicides to control "target vegetation" along State roads and highways in accordance with the ROW management regulations (333 CMR 11.00) and the MassDOT VMP and YOP.

Item 2: NOI for restoration of altered Terrace Escarpment Soils. Location: 19 Old Chicopee St. Applicant: Jerzy Cebula, Sunny Hill, LLC. 18 Benedict St., West Springfield, MA 01089

Item 2: Enforcement Orders – Update

Sunflower Ave.

Item 3: Minutes from December 16, 2020

Item 4: Sign Bills

Item 5: Upcoming Project Updates/Discussion

Item 6: Adjournment – Next scheduled meeting is January 20, 2021



Conservation Commission Public Meeting Opening Statement

In order to ensure and satisfy CDC social distancing guidelines during the Covid-19 Pandemic and pursuant to Governor Baker's March 23, 2020 Order as amended, the City of Chicopee is providing public notice that it will conduct a public hearing utilizing remote collaboration technology in accordance with Governor Baker's March 12, 2020 Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law, M.G.L. C. 30A, 18.

Copies of application materials may be requested by phone (413-594-1517) or by emailing Jim Dawson at jdawson@chicopeema.gov.

To view the public hearings please tune to Spectrum Community Access Channel 191 or the ChicopeeTV website at Facebook.com/ChicopeeTV and/or https://vimeo.com/chicopeetv

Public comments will be received during two timeframes. The first public comment period will take place prior to the opening of the public hearing on January 6, 2021. The second public comment period will take place following the January 6, 2021 hearing and remained open until January 20, 2021 for newly opened agenda items.

To provide public comments in writing please mail to the Chicopee Conservation Commission, 4th Floor, City Hall Annex, 274 Front St., Chicopee, MA 01013. By email to Jim Dawson at jdawson@chicopeema.gov. or by calling 413-594-1517. All public comments received will be provided to all Commission Members and discussed at either of the above listed meeting dates. All commenting individuals shall state their name, address and company/organizational affiliation in addition to the item(s) that the comments pertain. Comments received up to the January 6, 2021 hearing will be entered on that date. Any comments received after January 6, 2020 will be entered at the continued date for the hearing on January 20, 2021 for newly opened agenda items.